Docket No.

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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kazuhiko KOBAYAS

SERIAL NO: 10/666,245

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FOR:

BELT DEVICE AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS		RATE		CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	51	MINUS	49	2	x	\$50	=	\$100.00
INDEPENDENT	7	MINUS	6	1	х	\$200	=	\$200.00
		☐ MULTIPL	E DEPENDENT	CLAIMS	+	\$360	1	\$0.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS						NS	\$300.00	
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## **AMENDMENT**

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 10, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.

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